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BY YEAR xls; DENNE Table 3 2006 LaPorte Ratio Study Analysis DLGF Summary

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Gentlemen,

Attached is the data analysis, including the ratio study we created from the 2006-pay-2007 tax billing/Auditor data. A memorandum from Everett Davis will follow in the morning, which will very briefly explain what he found in the attached analysis.

Very Respectfully,

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## Laporte County 2006 Ratio Study Using Tax Bill Assessed Value Improved Residential

|                | MEDIAN | COD      | PRD    |
|----------------|--------|----------|--------|
| 1 Cass         | 0.9822 | 9.8397   | 1.0045 |
| 2 Center       | 1.0019 | 10.2385  | 1.0114 |
| 3 Clinton      | 0.9848 | 7.9405   | 0.9968 |
| 4 Coolspring   | 1.0264 | 10.8400  | 1.0237 |
| 5 Dewey        | 1.0113 | 11.6223  | 1.0059 |
| 6 Galena       | 1.0126 | 12.5615  | 1.0306 |
| 7 Hanna        | 1.0235 | 9.7748   | 1.0149 |
| 8 Hudson       | 1.0453 | 13.3625  | 1.0043 |
| 9 Johnson      |        |          |        |
| 10 Kankakee    | 1.0173 | 9.6549   | 1.0027 |
| 11 Lincoln     | 0.9717 | 8.2559   | 1.0116 |
| 12 Michigan    | 1.0050 | 153.4779 | 2.0688 |
| 13 New Durham  | 1.0183 | 12.6807  | 1.0180 |
| 14 Noble       | 1.0080 | 9.8677   | 1.0098 |
| 15 Pleasant    | 1.0018 | 9.6647   | 1.0058 |
| 16 Prairie     |        |          |        |
| 17 Scipio      | 0.9934 | 6.7709   | 1.0057 |
| 18 Springfield | 1.0061 | 10.1686  | 1.0074 |
| 19 Union       | 1.0627 | 14.8417  | 1.0107 |
| 20 Washington  | 0.9514 | 7.7004   | 0.9987 |
| 21 Wills       | 1.0101 | 5.3481   | 1.0138 |
|                |        |          |        |

## Vacant Residential

|              | MEDIAN | COD     | PRD    |
|--------------|--------|---------|--------|
| 1 Cass       | 0.9237 | 18.2640 | 1.0303 |
| 2 Center     | 0.9784 | 9.7357  | 1.0132 |
| 3 Clinton    | 0.9700 | 24.7659 | 1.0039 |
| 4 Coolspring | 0.9933 | 10.1702 | 1.0168 |

| 5 Dewey                                                                                                                                            | 0.9792                     | 3.5065           | 0.9961           |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| 6 Galena                                                                                                                                           | 0.9868                     | 15.3182          | 1.0569           |
| 7 Hanna                                                                                                                                            | 0.9739                     | 15.4216          | 1.0475           |
| 8 Hudson                                                                                                                                           | 0.9387                     | 44.1491          | 1.0437           |
| 9 Johnson                                                                                                                                          |                            |                  |                  |
| 10 Kankakee                                                                                                                                        | 1.0318                     | 18.7368          | 1.0592           |
| 11 Lincoln                                                                                                                                         | 1.1000                     | 10.0000          | 1.0267           |
| 12 Michigan                                                                                                                                        | 0.9652                     | 13.5918          | 0.9932           |
| 13 New Durham                                                                                                                                      | 0.9052                     | 15.1570          | 1.0048           |
| 14 Noble                                                                                                                                           | 0.9021                     | 16.0637          | 1.0463           |
| 15 Pleasant                                                                                                                                        | 1.0090                     | 18.1469          | 0.9955           |
| 16 Prairie                                                                                                                                         | 0.9701                     | 0.1239           | 1.0000           |
| 17 Scipio                                                                                                                                          | 0.9388                     | 19.3205          | 1.0611           |
| 18 Springfield                                                                                                                                     |                            |                  |                  |
| 19 Union                                                                                                                                           | 0.9480                     | 18.1287          | 0.9805           |
| 20 Washington                                                                                                                                      |                            |                  |                  |
| 21 Wills                                                                                                                                           | 0.8759                     | 8.2148           | 0.9676           |
|                                                                                                                                                    |                            |                  |                  |
|                                                                                                                                                    |                            |                  |                  |
|                                                                                                                                                    |                            |                  |                  |
| Improved Com                                                                                                                                       |                            |                  |                  |
|                                                                                                                                                    | mercial<br>MEDIAN          | COD              | PRD              |
| 1 Cass                                                                                                                                             | MEDIAN                     | COD              |                  |
| 1 Cass<br>2 Center                                                                                                                                 |                            | COD<br>8.2148    | PRD<br>0.9676    |
| 1 Cass<br>2 Center<br>3 Clinton                                                                                                                    | MEDIAN<br>1.0208           |                  | 0.9676           |
| <ul><li>1 Cass</li><li>2 Center</li><li>3 Clinton</li><li>4 Coolspring</li></ul>                                                                   | MEDIAN                     |                  |                  |
| <ul><li>1 Cass</li><li>2 Center</li><li>3 Clinton</li><li>4 Coolspring</li><li>5 Dewey</li></ul>                                                   | MEDIAN<br>1.0208           | 8.2148           | 0.9676           |
| <ul><li>1 Cass</li><li>2 Center</li><li>3 Clinton</li><li>4 Coolspring</li><li>5 Dewey</li><li>6 Galena</li></ul>                                  | MEDIAN<br>1.0208           | 8.2148           | 0.9676           |
| <ul><li>1 Cass</li><li>2 Center</li><li>3 Clinton</li><li>4 Coolspring</li><li>5 Dewey</li><li>6 Galena</li><li>7 Hanna</li></ul>                  | MEDIAN<br>1.0208           | 8.2148           | 0.9676           |
| <ul><li>1 Cass</li><li>2 Center</li><li>3 Clinton</li><li>4 Coolspring</li><li>5 Dewey</li><li>6 Galena</li><li>7 Hanna</li><li>8 Hudson</li></ul> | MEDIAN<br>1.0208           | 8.2148           | 0.9676           |
| 1 Cass 2 Center 3 Clinton 4 Coolspring 5 Dewey 6 Galena 7 Hanna 8 Hudson 9 Johnson                                                                 | MEDIAN<br>1.0208           | 8.2148           | 0.9676           |
| 1 Cass 2 Center 3 Clinton 4 Coolspring 5 Dewey 6 Galena 7 Hanna 8 Hudson 9 Johnson 10 Kankakee                                                     | MEDIAN<br>1.0208           | 8.2148           | 0.9676           |
| 1 Cass 2 Center 3 Clinton 4 Coolspring 5 Dewey 6 Galena 7 Hanna 8 Hudson 9 Johnson 10 Kankakee 11 Lincoln                                          | MEDIAN<br>1.0208<br>0.9689 | 8.2148<br>5.9239 | 0.9676<br>1.0093 |
| 1 Cass 2 Center 3 Clinton 4 Coolspring 5 Dewey 6 Galena 7 Hanna 8 Hudson 9 Johnson 10 Kankakee                                                     | MEDIAN<br>1.0208           | 8.2148           | 0.9676           |

| 13 New Durham   | 0.9038  | 40.2362 | 1.1102 |
|-----------------|---------|---------|--------|
| 14 Noble        |         |         |        |
| 15 Pleasant     | 1.0922  | 9.4607  | 1.0109 |
| 16 Prairie      |         |         |        |
| 17 Scipio       |         |         |        |
| 18 Springfield  |         |         |        |
| 19 Union        |         |         |        |
| 20 Washington   |         |         |        |
| 21 Wills        |         |         |        |
| Combined Twp    | 1.0000  | 0.9830  | 0.9830 |
|                 |         |         |        |
| VACANT COMM     | AFDOLAL |         |        |
| VACANT COM      |         | 000     | DDD    |
| Combined Turn   | MEDIAN  | COD     | PRD    |
| Combined Twp    | 0.9695  | 33.7436 | 1.0746 |
| Improved Indust | trial   |         |        |
| Improved Indust | MEDIAN  | COD     | DDD    |
|                 | MEDIAN  | COD     | PRD    |
| 12 Michigan     | 0.1282  | 68.1337 | 2.1642 |
| 12 Michigan     | 0.1202  | 00.1337 | 2.1042 |